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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME - ONE MONTH

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a one-month extension of time for filing a reply to the Office Action dated June 26, 2006 in the above-referenced application. The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 06-2425 for the amount of the fee. Applicant believes that an extension of only one month is due, however if in fact a longer extension of time is necessary to have the accompanying Amendment entered as of today, please consider this a request for that additional extension of time and charge our deposit account 06-2425 for the fee. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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